

City News In Brief

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Mining Business.

Ed. Block left yesterday for Southern Arizona where he is called for several days on mining business.

To Phoenix.

Under Sheriff and Mrs. J. H. Robinson left yesterday for Phoenix, the former to attend the Mystic Shrine meeting, and the latter to visit with friends.

Humboldt Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. King, the former smelter superintendent of the Consolidated at Humboldt, are in the city for a few days visiting with friends.

Open Country.

B. J. Knowles, who is mining in Black Canyon, was an arrival Tuesday evening, and reported no trouble on account of weather conditions. All mines are operating.

Country Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hobart, the former a goat raiser of the Castle Creek section, were arrivals Tuesday, the latter being en route to her former home at Fort Smith, Arkansas, for an extended visit with relatives.

To New Home.

Mrs. Hettie Simmons, who had been occupying the old Miller home of her deceased parents, left yesterday for Clarkdale, to join her husband, a machinist of the United Verde smelter, and will make that place her future home.

Church Birthday Party.

The church birthday party arranged by the Methodist Ladies' Aid will be held to night in the Monday Club, beginning at 7:30. The party promises to be a great success. All adherents of the church are cordially invited.

Miner Returns.

W. R. Wheelock, a miner formerly of this section, returned during the week from Butte, owing to extremely cold weather affecting the health of his wife, who accompanied him. They leave later for the Wickenburg country.

Comes to Visit.

Mrs. Robert J. Hards, of Gunnison, Colo., is a recent arrival to remain for a few months visiting with relatives, and is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Arthur Morris. The visitor is the mother of Miss Henrietta Barrett, a resident of this city.

From Jerome.

Stephen C. Collins, a mining man of Wallace, Idaho, who had been investigating conditions in the Jerome field for a few weeks, arrived yesterday, and is preparing to make an inspection of copper cast of Mayer. He contemplates remaining in the country during the summer.

Shumate Improving.

Letters received during the week from Ed. Shumate at Los Angeles, stated that he is rapidly recovering from recent illness and his health again is normal. He will not return to Prescott, however, for the present, and a trip to Honolulu may be taken later.

Lively Place.

L. B. Holderness, paymaster of the Consolidated at Humboldt, was a visitor yesterday with his wife, and reports the smelter center as thrifty, and copper production being maintained to the capacity of the plant. Mrs. Holderness is preparing to join her husband in the smelter city.

Mining Business.

F. W. Hatch, who has copper mines near Humboldt, was a visitor yesterday on business, reporting weather conditions as interfering with operations for a short time. The field to the east of the smelter city, he states is attracting considerable attention.

Health Restored.

Many friends in Prescott of Geo. H. Schuerman will be pleased to learn that he has been restored to normal health by specialists in Los Angeles, and contemplates returning here in a short time. His physical improvement is shown in wielding an axe, in sawing wood, digging ditches and doing stunts on the horizontal bar. "I am back again to the vigor of youth, and in fine fettle," were his concluding words, in a letter written a few days ago.

(From Friday's Daily.)

From the North.

Winchester Dickinson, postmaster and merchant of Ash Fork, was an arrival yesterday on a business trip.

Mining Man Returns.

C. N. Brown, who has mining interests near Walker, arrived yesterday from San Diego, and leaves today for his camp.

Official Business.

Monte Broadhead, an officer of Jerome, is in the city on official business, and to visit with friends at his former home.

Closing Mine Deal.

Jessey McCloud, well known mining man of the Walker district, was an arrival yesterday, coming to close the deal for his property, which was to be consummated last night, the buyer being here from the coast.

Returns Home.

Mrs. E. H. Porter, of Phoenix, who had been in the city during the week visiting with her cousin, Mrs. E. W. Stephens, returned home yesterday.

Paul Kantz Visits.

Paul S. Kantz, prominent insurance man of Phoenix, and a leading spirit in the Rotary Club of the capital city, is in Prescott for a few days on business.

New Year Active.

E. C. Koepke, in charge of the New Year mines, of Chaparral, was a visitor yesterday. He reported development is progressing, and favorable determinations are being made.

Roads Are Rough.

A. C. Quinn, interested in the Fair Oaks orchard, arrived from Phoenix on Wednesday by auto, making the trip to this city by the Williamson valley route. He reports the roads

are deplorable. He returns home today.

Will Placer Mine.

Charles Stemmer and George Waldron, placer miners, were arrivals from Oatman during the week, and will placer mine on Big Bug creek during the winter. Waldron followed this business two years ago in that locality.

Going to Desert.

Davis Collingwood, a rangeland Apache county, was an arrival yesterday and leaves today for the desert country, where he has sheep in winter quarters. His wife and daughter accompany him and are to remain for several weeks with friends in Phoenix.

Tour of Inspection.

E. C. King, superintendent of the Consolidated Arizona smelter at Humboldt, left yesterday on a tour of inspection of the various Southwestern smelting plants in the interests of the company. Mrs. King will visit with her brother, C. H. Redpath here during Mr. King's absence.

Country Visitor.

Orville Bozarth, who recently entered the range cattle business near Williamson valley, was a visitor yesterday, reporting that livestock is passing the winter in fine shape, and that one of the best seasons in the history of the industry is ahead.

Heavy Storms Have Passed Over That Country Recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hammond, former residents of the city, were arrivals yesterday from Brelles, N. M. They return to Arizona after an absence of six years. They are en route to a mining camp in Black Rock district, where Mr. Hammond will be purchasing agent, and after a few days visit with friends will resume their journey.

Returns From East.

Harry K. Showalter, interested in mines in the Martinez district, after an absence in Oswego, N. Y., since December, returned during the week, and leaves later for his camp. He stated that satisfactory financial arrangements had been closed for beginning work at once. He will outfit with supplies in this city. His wife and brother join him after accommodations are ready.

Mining Men Return.

H. B. Haynes and Charles B. Knox, mining men, who have been looking over conditions in Squaw Peak district, returned a few days ago, and will leave later for the southern section of the county. Weather conditions were unfavorable for making a full examination of the new copper field, and they will return later. Mr. Knox is a nephew of former Secretary of State Knox, and makes his winter home at Pasadena, Cal., also maintaining mine offices at Colorado Springs, Colo. He visited Prescott during the tour of President Taft through Arizona.

(From Saturday's Daily)

Visiting Camp.

Robert Kirshaw and Fay Ballinger have gone to the mining camp of Coschino & Dreis, at Alto, where they will rusticate in the snow for a few weeks.

Cattle Losses.

Constable J. A. Stapp, who is in the city from Skull valley, reports grazing this winter as unsatisfactory, and many old cattle succumbing from lack of feed.

Mine Inspection.

C. E. Myers, a resident consulting mine engineer, left yesterday for the Congress country on an examination of properties, representing Eastern investors.

From New Mexico.

B. L. Loving, of Cerrillos, N. M., a visitor last fall, returned a few days ago and is en route to Squaw Peak district, to join his partner, Norman Hoode. He is to remain.

From Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rudd, residents of this county two years ago, have returned from Georgetown, Colorado, to remain, and the former will follow his vocation as a miner.

Visiting Son.

Alfred Trenberth is in Prescott, visiting his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trenberth. The senior Trenberth now lives in Los Angeles. He was formerly of Poland.

Good Outlook.

John Morris, a Skull valley farmer, who was in the city yesterday, reported a fine outlook for his industry, since the recent storms had placed the soil in better condition than had been known for many years.

After Supplies.

"Billy" Worth, who has mining interests near Waters on the Santa Maria, was an arrival yesterday after supplies. He will make a shipment in a few weeks of a ten-ton lot of assorted gold ore to Wickenburg.

Copper Men Arrive.

Jay O. Whitcomb and engineer, C. Harris Browne, of Ely, Nevada, were arrivals during the week, and it is stated their destination is the Zonia field on a copper inspection trip. Mr. Whitcomb was in the country last fall.

Mining Business.

C. E. Champie, who has mining interests in Castle Creek district, was an arrival yesterday. He reported more activity there than has been known for many years. The excellent situation he attributes to the opening of a custom market for ores at Wickenburg.

Snowed Under.

Ed. Wicks, who has mining interests near Senator, was a visitor yesterday. He reported traffic at a standstill in the Hassayampa country, owing to deep snow and roads being blocked. He is one of the first to come out of that region since last week's big storms.

Team Travel.

D. S. Sayres and L. T. Morton, mining men of Black Canyon district, were arrivals yesterday by team. They are en route to the Placerita country on an examination of properties, also going to Walnut Grove on the trip. They report road conditions as deplorable at places.

Good Report.

A. B. Peach, superintendent of the Loma Prieta, was a visitor yesterday, reporting a satisfactory condition in the main working shaft, which has reached a depth of 360 feet. The

opening of roads is relieving the fuel famine of the district, and work goes ahead at other camps energetically.

Comes to Reside.

Miss Eugenia Glasscock, who will be pleasantly remembered as a resident of this city last summer, and a stenographer by profession, has returned to accept a responsible position with the Redwell Music Company, of Phoenix, which has established in this city a branch business house. Miss Glasscock receives a welcome from many friends.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Comes to Visit.

Mrs. J. V. Dickson, of Skull valley, was a week-end visitor yesterday with friends in the city.

From the Mines.

H. William Stevens, manager of the Yuma-Warrior at Harqua Hala, is in the city on a business trip.

To the Coast.

Chas. T. Joslin left yesterday for Los Angeles, where he is called for a few days on private business.

Range Visitor.

J. E. Rudy was an arrival yesterday from Skull valley, reporting the winter as severe on old stock, and some losses were occurring. The outlook for fine grazing in the Spring is excellent, however.

Goes to Clarkdale.

William Linden, until recently with the Consolidated at Humboldt as a machinist, was a visitor yesterday to the city and is en route to Clarkdale to accept a similar position, with the United Verde smelter.

Mining Business.

Captain A. W. Farney, a principal of the company owning the old hydraulic placer mines of Lower Lynx creek, was an arrival yesterday from Kansas City, and his coming is stated to be in connection with resuming operations at a later date.

Mining Men Here.

Tom Murdock, a frequent visitor in recent months, was an arrival Thursday from Victor, California. He was accompanied by S. A. Symmes, of Randsburg, California. Both are to make observations in this field for a few weeks, and it is quite probable a deal will be closed.

Visitors Return.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sloss, of North Bend, Nebraska, who visited the city a few weeks ago, returned yesterday from the coast, and are to remain for several days as guests of their cousin, Dr. W. L. Linn, before returning home.

They are making a tour of the West, and express themselves as more pleased with Prescott than with any other locality since leaving home. Slightly Injured.

In thawing giant powder on Friday afternoon at his wood camp south of the city about four miles distant, a Mexican whose name was not learned sustained slight wounds about the head and face by a premature explosion. His head and face were sprinkled with rocks, and his escape from serious wounds is considered as remarkable. He was less than 20 feet away when six sticks went off.

Mining Business.

F. N. Childers, a recent arrival from Douglas to look after his mining interests in this section, was in the city yesterday from Humboldt. He states that field is beginning to attract a great deal of interest by reason of new camps starting up, and indications point to lively times this summer. Quite a rush of locators is noticeable since weather conditions became favorable for entering the country.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Country Visitor.

Claude O. Eckel, farming in the Fair Oaks section, was a visitor yesterday on business.

Brief Visitor.

G. M. Colvocoresses, general manager of the Consolidated at Humboldt, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

On Jury Duty.

Charles Young, a cattleman of Skull valley, is in Prescott to attend the jury session of the Superior court. He is called as a juror.

Gone a Taxing.

C. E. Gentry and Ed. Stephens left yesterday morning for Humboldt, Mayer, Cordes and the Black Canyon country on an assessing tour.

Health Restored.

Fred W. Eckert returned Sunday from Marietta Springs, Cal., where he had been under treatment for the past five months for rheumatism.

New Student.

Miss Elma Tolar, of Atlanta, Ga., was an arrival in Prescott, Monday, coming for the express purpose of entering Tucker's Business College.

Country Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stewart were arrivals yesterday from Williamson valley, reporting travel in auto as restored, and roads again in fair condition.

Business Trip.

Frank L. Dickinson, of Los Angeles, is in the city, coming to remain for several days to look after his range interests in the northern section of the county. He also has realty in Seligman, his former home.

Going to Camp.

Geo. H. Freyda returned a few days ago from Phoenix, where he had been for several weeks. He is en route to his mining camp near Poland to resume operations since weather conditions are favorable.

Visits Old Home.

John Mason Ross, who will be favorably remembered as a former attorney residing in this city, was an arrival Sunday from Bisbee on professional business for Ellinwood & Ross. He is to remain for a few days.

Valley Visitor.

J. C. Young is in the city from Fer-

guson valley, and reports snow as rapidly disappearing and farmers are entering the field to start plowing. The cattle business, he says, is in good condition and no losses have taken place this winter.

Flying Trip.

J. M. J. Schwartz, master mechanic of the Blue Bell mine, was a brief visitor yesterday, reporting the increasing of the tramway from the mine to the railroad as completed, that gives an outlet of double that of heretofore. Over 300 tons are being conveyed daily, and mine conditions were assuming a bonanza rating, in new development performed.

Range Visitor.

J. K. Campbell, of the Rio Verde Cattle Co., was a visitor yesterday, reporting range conditions on the Upper Verde as satisfactory and livestock as having passed through the winter in good form, no losses taking place.

Inspection Trip.

M. C. Steele, of Pinal county, a stockholder in a new copper company operating east of Mayer, was an arrival Saturday, and left yesterday for the property on an inspection of development. His wife accompanied him here, but remains in the city.

Shipping to Humboldt.

P. A. Johns, who is operating the Pittsburg copper group near Briggs, was an arrival in the city Sunday from his camp, and reported shipping as going to the Consolidated at Humboldt. He is very much pleased with the showing made from development.

Mining Men Arrive.

Thomas Chadwick, who was in this field last month to make a mine examination, returned Sunday, and leaves later for the Mayer country. He was joined on the trip from Los Angeles by H. P. Schwerin, an operator of Southern Nevada, who is making his first trip to this section, and is to remain for a few weeks.

From the Verde.

John Fredericks was an arrival in auto yesterday from Verde valley, reporting the wagon roads are again open, and travel in and out is established as before the big storms. The range industry, he says, will be prosperous for excellent grazing is now assured.

Mining Business.

Martin Schuber, a copper mine owner of Copper Basin, is in the city for a few days on a business trip, reporting that field as active at all points, and the outlook for deals to be soon closed was indicated by examinations being made and interest manifested.

PUBLIC RECORDS.

Instruments Filed as Recorded By the Prescott Title Co.

February 15, 1917.

Aladdin Mining Co. amends articles of incorporation, increasing capital stock.

J. F. Cox and Joe Lees locate Shilling's Best, Cherry district.

J. F. Young, sheriff, appoints James T. Cook and J. W. Everett as deputies.

James Haltan locates Black Eagle mine, Bullard district.

H. N. Crain and wife and Gilmore & Schivelers to Mrs. A. H. Lyons. Agreement.—One-half interest in party wall between Lots 32 and 33, Block 3, Jerome.

R. K. Burritt files bond of \$1,000 as justice of the peace, Ash Fork precinct.

Matt Cavaness locates six mines and Blue Tank district.

Chris Ringhausen locates five mines Bloody Basin district.

Jessie Patterson to E. L. Patterson. Lots 3 to 6, Block 14, Ash Fork.

Mamie Mayer and Frank Thornton file affidavit of assessment work on three mines, Copper Mountain district.

James W. Phillips to Jules J. Humbert. SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 34, 16N., 4E., less ten acres.

W. G. Crowder and wife to J. J. Humbert. NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 34, 16N., 4E.

L. C. Ryan locates two mines, Black Hills district.

John L. Friend et al. locate three placers and seven lode claims, Big Bug district.

P. J. McCaffery locates four mines, Hassayampa district.

C. W. Nelson locates two mines, Peck district.

Levi C. Ryan to Erick J. Bergstrom. Agreement.—One-half interest in Yaeger Bell Nos 1 to 11 and Yaeger City mines, Black Hills district.

Ed. Coughran locates three mines, Copper Basin district.

J. E. Hamilton and wife, A. Effel Rudy and husband, Laura B. Russell and husband, to Laura H. Earnhart. Commodore, Sultana and Kentucky mines, Weaver district.

W. V. DeCamp et al. file affidavit of assessment work on three mines, Big Bug district.

J. J. Jackson and E. S. Clark file non-liability on 14 mines, Copper Basin district, being worked by R. L. Johns.

February 16, 1917.

J. F. Young, sheriff, appoints J. W. Huggins as deputy.

Con Johnson locates two mines, Walker district.

R. A. Kinsman to James Furman and Moses Bradley. Spring, Eureka, Alice, Annes to Spring and Eureka mines, Big Bug district.

C. H. and R. C. Martin locate two mines, Black Canyon district.

Ernest Degan locates five mines, Eureka district.

A. E. Boyce to S. P. Healy. Wickenburg, Wickenburg Nos. 1 to 3,

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZ.

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Bidders are invited to be present at the opening of bids. For any further information apply to the Clerk of this Board. By order of the Board of Supervisors.

R. T. BELCHER, Clerk.

The Chairman reported the approval of the following bonds during the month of January, 1917:

C. K. Crosby, Justice of the Peace, Bagdad Justice Precinct, Bond \$1,000.00, Sureties, G. H. Miller and Mrs. F. E. Marum.

H. H. Linney, Notary Public, Bond \$1,000.00, Surety, The U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Company.

A. K. Lee, Notary Public, Bond \$1,000.00, Sureties, Fred Reif and J. C. Bradbury.

F. L. Campbell, Constable, Seligman Justice Precinct, Bond \$1,000.00, Sureties, S. S. Cutler and John W. King.

Wm. Judson Timmons, Notary Public, Bond \$1,000.00, Sureties, C. H. Rutherford and Ernest Douglas.

A. K. Lee, Justice of the Peace, Humboldt Justice Precinct, Bond \$1,000.00, Surety, The U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Company.

Wm. W. Davis, Notary Public, Bond \$1,000.00, Surety, Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland.

W. H. Merritt, County Engineer, Bond \$5,000.00, Surety, Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland.

A. H. Whiteley, Notary Public, Bond \$1,000.00, Surety, Maryland Casualty Company.

W. Curtis Miller, County School Superintendent, Bond \$24,000.00, Surety, Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland.

No further business appearing, the Board, upon motion, adjourned until Monday, February 19th, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m.

WM. STEPHENS, Chairman.

Attest: R. T. BELCHER, Clerk.